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 The average daily circulation of the Barre Daily Times for the week ending Saturday was
2,724
 copies, the largest paid circulation of any daily paper in this section.

The American Newspaper Directory is an annual directory of newspapers and their circulations. To secure a statement therein the publisher must furnish a signed detailed statement of a year's issues. Printer's Ink, a weekly journal issued by the directory publishers, in its issue of August 5, contains the following:

"In the latest issue of the American Newspaper Directory the circulations of the two daily papers of Barre, Vermont, are rated as follows:
 Times, 2,724.
 No one doubts the accuracy of the Times rating but it has recently been made apparent that the Telegram rating is fraudulent."

Now that we really have that new hook and ladder truck, there won't be so much difficulty about finding a place to house it. The main thing was to get the truck.

The Boston Herald ventures the opinion that "Still, New Hampshire and Vermont are not so much engrossed in their Old Home Week festivities but that they will keep one eye on the cup race bulletins." Which is right, and there is one hustling city in the latter state which will watch the results pretty closely. Barre is that city.

James J. Corbett, who last week went down before the blows of James Jeffries in the pugilistic arena, received \$1,100 for every round that he stood up against the champion, or reducing it still lower, nearly \$200 for every time that Jeffries' fist came in contact with his anatomy. It was pretty big pay and also pretty big penalty, and there are few who would have cared to take the latter in order to receive the former.

Great things are expected of the Vermont farmers in the next session of the state legislature, mainly by means of their organization formed at the last session. The farmers in an average Vermont legislature can certainly wield a strong influence, but they will not be unmindful of the fact that although Vermont has always been rated as an agricultural state, there are now other industries within its four confines, each of which demands attention.

It has been claimed that Willard S. Allen, the defaulting Boston man, has been seen in Rochester, N. Y., one day and in Texas the next, until one is a little surprised to know how the said Allen is able to spread himself over so much territory in so short a time. He must be a decidedly ubiquitous individual. And by the way, the Johnstown, N. Y., young man who, it was asserted, had been seen with the young lady he eloped with, did not elope and was not seen after his disappearance, until yesterday when his body was found floating on the waters of Canada Lake, New York. All this illustrates how untrustworthy a thing rumor is, something on which not the least credence should be placed.

When one reads that the strikers and non-union men employed in the National Tube Company works at Benwood, West Virginia, engaged in a pitched battle and 1,000 shots were fired, the wonder arises whether law and order is obsolete in West Virginia, having been put away as a back number and useless. Or is it simply sleeping waiting for a more propitious time to present itself as a real thing and vested with power? The hope is that it is the latter case, and the hope becomes a certainty when one reads that after six hours of the worst rioting imaginable, the mobs finally dispersed, the credit being given to the police for the deed. After all, whether the police really played a big hand in quelling the riot or not is uncertain. It is perhaps as likely that the rioters became tired of the thing and desisted from mere satisfaction. At any rate, Benwood, West Virginia, adds its name to the growing list of those places which have been disgraced by the acts of their citizens.

Danger Signals.
 Persistent insomnia, unaccountable irritability and dread of grappling with business problems are danger signals of general nervous breakdown.

Two Odd Relics.
 Side by side in a Greenfield (Mass.) house is a portion of a shell exploded in Paris at the time of the commune insurrection and one of the fossil footprints made millions of years ago in mud which is now our red sandstone. The species of bird which made the track is now extinct.



"Oh tell them that you saw me,
 That you saw me saw the saw;
 (The old saw of Franklin's is passed).
 A dollar spent is a dollar made
 If you come with us to trade."

List of Mark-Downs For Today.
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JINGLES AND JESTS.

Enjoyed Life.
 Dora—How horrid it must have been for young people in Puritan days—no theaters, no music, no dances, no nice dresses even.
 Clara—Yes; but they had kissing games.—New York Herald.

The Straight Makes Straight.
 The man who takes whisky straight through the liver and day will scarcely take his homeward gait in that straightforward way.
 —Philadelphia Press.

Wanted.
 Old Graybeard—It's a pity to keep such a pretty bird in a cage.
 Mrs. De Style—Isn't it a shame? How perfectly exquisitely lovely it would look on a hat!—New York Weekly.

An Alcy Thought.
 Now, fate has a distressing style Of dealing with the various clans. Some suffer from tornadoes, while The rest are vainly plying fans.
 —Washington Star.

"The Man Behind the Hat."



GOWN GOSSIP.

In Paris they are using bead tassels wherever there is an excuse for beads or pendants.

Everything points to the passing of the separate skirt and waist. It is surprising that their vogue remained for so long a period.

Sleeves grow wider and wider, and the tendency toward a flowing effect, with or without a close undersleeve, seems to increase.

The most fashionable material for fine gowns is undoubtedly chiffon. It is made into day as well as evening gowns and seen in spotted and figured effects quite as often as plain.

Wheat is dyed all colors of the rainbow this year and is much used in the decoration of morning hats. It looks especially well on hats of the same color or drawn through ribbon bows which match its dye.

For a year large waists have been fashionable, and wide girdles and belts emphasized rather than otherwise this amplitude. The princess shape, which is probably the coming model, demands a smaller waist.—New York Post.

The American Farmer.
 When the American farmer rises early in the morning it is to look over broad and fertile acres that are his own. When he goes forth it is to fields that no human being can lawfully step upon without his consent. When he gathers and garners the harvest he stores what in a vast majority of cases no greedy and rapacious landlord can take from him. It is all his. The proceeds of it are to clothe and feed him and his family and educate his children, to be the support of his old age and the heritage of his posterity. Looked at from every point of view, it is doubtful if there is another human being under the heavens who has more cause for carrying a light heart and a contented mind, for regarding the past with satisfaction and the future with hope, than the American farmer.—Kansas City Journal.

ABOUT THE STATE.

Items of Interest Gleaned From Our Exchanges.

A cluster of snow balls was picked Saturday by Charles Robey of Burlington, which is considered as quite a novelty at this time of the year as the flower usually disappears long before this time.

The St. Lawrence left St. Albans at 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon and will run to Brattleboro from which point the state board of railroad commissioners will begin an inspection of the bridges on the line of the Central Vermont railroad.

Winchester Goddard of Holland, clapboard sawer in Caswell's mill, was killed Thursday, Aug. 6. It is supposed that in trying to throw off a belt that was running very swiftly, he was caught. The body was mangled almost beyond recognition.

James F. Bolger, representing the minority of the Burlington board of police examiners, has filed a report finding Chief of Police E. F. Brownell guilty of the charges preferred against him by Mayor James E. Burke. The majority of the board acquitted Chief Brownell.

The post office department has notified Congressman Kittredge Haskins of the establishment of 10 additional rural free delivery routes in the 2d Congressional district, including Chester, Cavendish, two Windsor, West Glover, Passumpsic, Barnet, North Troy, St. Johnsbury and West Concord, to go into effect September 15. Chester and St. Johnsbury each now have three routes.

There was at the Montpelier and Wells River freight house in Montpelier Saturday a boat of a type rarely seen so far away from the sea coast. It is a dory of the sort used by the fishermen at the Grand Banks, Newfoundland, and was consigned to C. G. Poor of Berlin for use on the pond. When the fishing boats start for the banks there is always a number of these dories nested together on each side of the boat and no type of small craft can be found that will ride a rougher sea than these.

News has been received from Harry Waters, who suddenly disappeared from Danbury several weeks ago and whose whereabouts were unknown until his father received a letter from him mailed at some seaport town in Scotland which said that he was about to sail for Australia. When he left Danbury on the train he conveyed the idea that he would return on the next train but instead he went direct to Montreal where he immediately shipped on a steamer bound for Glasgow. The youth is only about 17 years of age.

ADVERTISING METAPHORS.

Advertising is the plow that first lays bare the ground for planting.

Advertising is the drill that scatters the seeds of business success.

Advertising is the cultivator that pulverizes the clods and keeps the roots properly loosened.

Advertising is the gentle rain that falls upon the plant and nurtures it.

Advertising is the warm sunshine that caresses it and causes it to blossom forth.

Advertising is the weeder that uproots the rank and foreign growths that attempt to choke it.

Advertising is the harvester that garners the golden grain.

Advertising is the fertilizer that prepares the ground for another and better crop.

Get connected with the live wire of inspiration and your thoughts will tingle.—Judicious Advertising.

SCRAPS OF SCIENCE.

Electric sparks are always obtained from kites reaching a height of a quarter of a mile and increase as the kite goes higher.

A ton of ice weighs more than the water obtained from melting that quantity of ice. Therefore the weight of a body increases as its temperature falls.

If a small quantity of radium is held against the forehead while the eyes are closed one will see light. The rays penetrate to the retina and cause it to phosphoresce.

Dr. Arlt, son of the famous ophthalmologist, has discovered a new remedy for trachoma, or inflammation of the eyes, which does so much harm in Egypt and other countries. It is called eucrocinol, and its special advantages are that it gives no pain, costs little and can be applied by the patients themselves.

Death From Electric Shock.

The ultimate cause of death, when due primarily to electric shock, is generally considered to be stoppage of the action of the heart or of the respiratory organs. That the latter may be affected is shown by the fact that victims of electric shock are sometimes brought to by practice of some of the well known methods of artificial respiration. The cessation of the heart's action may be due to stimulation of the nerves which control the beating of the heart. These, when stimulated to excess, may cause the heart to stop altogether.—Archibald Wilson in Cassier's Magazine.

His Deceptive Appearance.

"They say he got rich writing the words of popular songs."
 "Yet to look at him you'd think he had at least ordinary intelligence."—Chicago Record-Herald.

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STORIES OF PHIL MAY.

English Caricaturist's Experiences While Hunting For "Types."

In his later and more affluent days the late Phil May, the English caricaturist, employed a man for the special purpose of luring models to his studio. These models often cost him several pounds a day, says the New York Herald. They would not always pose satisfactorily. Once in his studio the girls would become ridiculously shy, giggling all the time he was at work. In the same way the male models were likely to drop at their assurance on the doorstep and become lifeless and vacuous when they posed.

"The other day," the artist told a friend, "I got two new girls, to whom sitting all the time he was at work. In the same way the male models were likely to drop at their assurance on the doorstep and become lifeless and vacuous when they posed. The news of this evidently got about, and the next morning a fearful groggy old woman knocked at my door with the inquiry, 'Do you want any models?'"

As he was always looking out for "types," so he was always on the quiver for jokes. Everything was grist that came to his mill. When his fecund imagination ran temporarily dry, when accident failed to supply the needed hint, he was glad to fall back upon the suggestions of friends or correspondents. He made a practice of jotting down upon his cuffs anything that he overheard or was told. "As almost every one thinks he has something more or less funny to tell me as soon as we meet, you may imagine," said he, "the state of my cuffs after a day's outing. The cuffs are carefully copied out by my wife before they are sent to the laundry." Some of the jokes thus offered to him, however, proved more perplexing than usual. For instance, a Frenchman once ran up to him crying excitedly:

"Here is a joke for you, Mr. Phil May. It will do splendidly well for your paper. Why was a nice when he was weaving a spider's web? You do not know, eh? You give me up? I will tell you. Because the more you lick him the faster!"

Not wishing to wound the Frenchman's feelings, Phil May jotted the joke down upon his cuff and afterward gravely asserted that he had spent many days and nights trying to unravel the mystery.

LANGLEY'S AERODROME.

Features of Novel Air Ship Invented by Noted Scientist.

Professor Samuel T. Langley's fifteen foot model aerodrome, which had its first flight at Widewater, Va., recently, is about fifteen feet long from stem to stern and nearly as wide between the tips of the wings, says the New York World. Its body is composed mainly of an intricate network of delicate steel rods supporting the motor, cylinders and apparatus extending to the propellers and steering gear. This portion contains also the apparatus for balancing.

The wings are about six feet long by four feet wide. They are made of the finest oil silk stretched tight over an exceedingly light but durable wooden frame. When set for sailing they have a somewhat tentlike form, being considerably elevated in the center. Of these wings there are four, two on each side. Behind the front set of wings are situated the two propellers, one on each side. These are of the finest steel and have two blades, each about two feet long.

The motor, which generates something in excess of two horse power, is stationed near the center of the body. At the rear of this central structure the steering gear is attached. This is made of material very much like the wings and has four blades. It can be turned with ease in any direction, guiding the air ship just as a rudder directs the course of a marine vessel.

Novelty in Slot Machines.

One of the latest penny in the slot machines introduced in London supplies handkerchiefs at 2 or 4 cents apiece.

Economy Leads to Fortune!

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